

McLean Street (SR 1356)

from US 64 to Railroad Ave

Local ID: **TRAN0052-H**Purpose: **Safety**Improvement: **Improve Existing****Identified Need**

McLean Road (SR 1356) has no paved shoulder and lane widths of 9-10 feet. The horizontal clearance and curvature has created a local concern with truck traffic. The intersection of with Railroad Ave also has sight distance deficiencies with particular concerns around the multi use path crossing.

Recommendation

Improve sight distance, alignment, lane widths, and shoulders to current design standards, including 5-foot paved shoulders. Address Truck Traffic Concerns.



	Local ID #	Improve	New Location		Local ID #	Improve	New Location
Congestion / Mobility	#	—	...	Interchange	⊙	□	■
Access Management / Operations	#	—	...	Bridge / Overpass	⊙	○	●
Modernization	#	—	...	Intersection	⊙	∠	△
Other	#	—	...				

Proposal At A Glance

Highway Class	Modernization
Facility Type	Minor Thoroughfare
Typical Section	02 E
Section Options	-
Estimated Cost	-
Length (miles)	0.17
Existing ROW (feet)	-
Safety Risk Score	-

Proposal Data: 2017 Base Year 2045 Future Year

Improved Route	Existing	Without Proposal	With Proposal
Facility Type	Minor Thoroughfare	Minor Thoroughfare	Minor Thoroughfare
Travel Lanes	2	2	2
Volume (vpd)	3300	3700	-
Capacity (vpd)	10200	10200	10200

Capacity Data: Year

Facility will be Approaching Capacity (>80%)	-
Facility will be Over Capacity (>=100%)	-

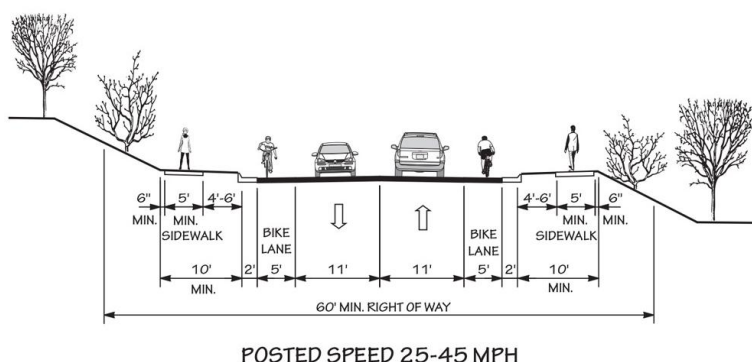


Typical Section Options:

None

TYPICAL SECTION No. 2E

2 LANE UNDIVIDED WITH CURB & GUTTER, BIKE LANES, AND SIDEWALKS

**Project Overview****Linkage to Other Plans**

This facility is classified as a major collector on the Federal Functional Classification System.

Multi-Modal Considerations

Transylvania County Transit, under the name "Transylvania in Motion" operates a fixed route as well as demand response system within the county. The deviated-fixed route does not reach this facility; however, it is within the demand-response area.

The Transylvania County Bicycle Plan (2019) recommends a bike lane or paved shoulder along this facility. The City of Brevard Comprehensive Pedestrian Plan (2006/2018) also recommends new sidewalks along this facility.

Goals & Objectives Survey

The citizens of Transylvania County responded to a public survey in early 2019 with a great deal of support for new greenways, sidewalks, and multi-use paths. When asked for their top three most important project types, these categories ranked first, third and fifth, out of a dozen choices. Rounding out the top five were maintenance and safety projects at second and fourth respectfully. When asked to rank transportation goals, the respondents gave two, preservation of the natural beauty and community character and increasing the number transportation mode choices, substantial net positive scores; improved connectivity, and economic development about neutral; and improved travel time was poorly scored, receiving over 50% of the lowest rank.

Natural & Human Environmental Context

Based on planning level environmental assessment using available GIS data, the proposed project intersects the

French Broad River local watershed. The project is in proximity of two places of worship.